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SUBJECT: PRE-LICENSE CHECK: TELKOR ELECTRONICS (PTY) LTD

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- 1. CONGEN HAD EXPERIENCED CONSIDERABLE DIFFICULTY IN LOCATING THE APPROPRIATE REPRESENTATIVE OF TELKOR WHO WAS IN A POSITION TO PROVIDE DETAILED INFORMATION CONCERNNG THE END USE OF THE TANTALUM CAPACITORS. TELKOR REPRESENTATIVE ADVISED US TODAY THAT WITHOUT TELKOR'S NDENT NUMBER FOR THESE CAPACITORS HE WAS UNABLE TO IDENTIFY THE SPECIFIC END USE BUT IT WOULD DEFINITELY BE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING FOUR PROJECTS: COIN OPERATED TELEPHONES, CARRIER EQUIPMENT FOR THE SOUTH AFRICAN POST OFFICE, A SIGNAL SYSTEM FOR THE ISCOR SISHEN-SALDANHA BAY RAILWAY LINE, OR FOR TELECONTROL SYSTEMS FOR SOUTH AFRICAN RAILWAYS. THE REPRESENTATIVE, MR. STOCKS, STATED THAT THERE WAS NO POSSIBILITY FOR MILITARY USE BECAUSE TELKOR DOES NO WORK FOR AND HAS NO CONTRACTS FOR THE SOUTH AFRICAN DEFENCE FORCE.
- 2. TELKOR HAS HEAD OFFICES IN JOHANNESBURG AND WAS ONCE THE TELECOMM-UNICATIONS DIVISION OF DOWSON AND DOBSON. THE TWO ARE NOW ENTIRELY SEPARATE AND TELKOR IS ONE OF THE OPERATING ARMS OF AFRICAN OXYGEN LTD. (AFROX), A LARGE PUBLIC COMPANY QUOTED ON THE JOHANNESBURG STOCK EXCHANGE.
- 3. CONGEN SEES NO REPEAT NO OBJECTION TO ISSUEANCE OF THE EXPORT UNCLASSIFIED

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